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The Willamette Partnership has released two new reports on environmental markets and water quality trading.

Verification in Markets for Water Quality and Habitat



This report explores key decision points in designing systems to verify environmental credits. offering context on how verification works and a robust discussion of tradeoffs that support transparency and accountability, manage transaction costs, and build opportunities to learn and improve programs quickly.

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Building a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) to Better Support Water Quality Trading



This report provides information on how TMDLs can provide important information to agency staff and other stakeholders on issues such as nonpoint source baselines, credit type and seasonality, trading areas, and monitoring for program effectiveness.

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Both reports were funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of Environmental Markets.

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